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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R §1.53 is the patent application of: Dan Ferguson
entitled: "Casino Poker Game and Method"

Enclosed are:

- 44 pages of written description, claims and abstract.
 13 sheets of formal drawings.
 an assignment of the invention to _____
 executed declaration of the inventor and power of attorney.
 a certified copy of a _____ application.
 associate power of attorney.
 Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27.
 information disclosure statement.
 preliminary amendment
 other:

CLAIMS AS FILED

	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Fee
BASIC FEE			\$710	\$710
TOTAL CLAIMS	26 -20=	6	x \$18	\$108
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	7 -3=	4	x \$80	\$320
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT			x \$260	

* Number extra must be zero or larger

TOTAL \$1138

If applicant has small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.	SMALL ENTITY TOTAL	\$569
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- Other _____

X Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 USC 120)

Applicant claims priority under 35 USC 120 to the following application(s):

09/315,253 filed May 20, 1999

— Benefit of Prior U.S. Provisional Application(s) (35 USC 119(e))

— Benefit of Prior Foreign Application(s) (35 USC 119)

Applicant claims priority under 35 USC 119 to the following applications:



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